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Memorandum to the Docket

Date: March 26, 2021

To: Docket FAA-2021-0237
Part 147 Promoting Aviation Regulations for Technical Training

From: Tanya Glines, Aviation Safety Inspector, General Aviation Branch, Aircraft Maintenance Division

Subject: Summary of Email from the Aviation Technician Education Council dated March 11, 2021, and the FAA response sent on March 25, 2021

On March 11, 2021, Crystal Maguire, Executive Director of the Aviation Technician Education Council (ATEC), sent an email to Tanya Glines and Kevin Morgan of the FAA's Office of Safety Standards, Aviation Maintenance Division, General Aviation Branch.

The email stated that the ATEC community is working on comments and edits to the draft Advisory Circular (AC) 147-3C that accompanied the part 147 SNPRM published in April 2019. ATEC stated that it expects to submit the commented document to the FAA by mid-April. ATEC also questioned whether mid-April would be too late to submit these comments in relation to the publication schedule of the new part 147 interim final rule.

The FAA responded to ATEC's email on March 26, 2021. In that email, the FAA explained that, because the FAA does not currently have an updated part 147 AC available for public comment, the FAA will treat ATEC's comments and redlines on draft AC 147-3C as comments to the interim final rule mandated by Section 135 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act (Pub. Law 116-260) and will consider them in conjunction with all other public comments received.